Faculty and Course Evaluations

- Why student evaluation feedback is important,
- How information from faculty and course evaluations are reviewed at UFCD

Why student evaluation feedback is important- Enhance student learning

- The faculty members of the College of Dentistry continually seek to improve the quality of its instructional program to enhance student learning.
- The College evaluates instruction through faculty evaluations, course evaluations and student debriefings as part of their Curriculum Management Plan.
- Students are expected to evaluate <u>courses</u> and <u>faculty</u> each semester. Completion of these evaluations are voluntary, however as part of your professional commitment to the program we strongly encourage you to participate. *Why....*

Why student evaluation feedback is important-Accreditation and Promotion

Many student's think that no one really looks at this information:

- One of the measures for faculty promotion and/tenure include student evaluation of instruction. This information is reviewed by faculty, Department Chairs, the Promotion and Tenure Committee and the UF Academic Review Board.
- The Commission on Dental Accreditation requires that each dental education program maintain a curriculum management plan. Every seven years an extensive site visit and document review are conducted for the college to maintain an accredited status.

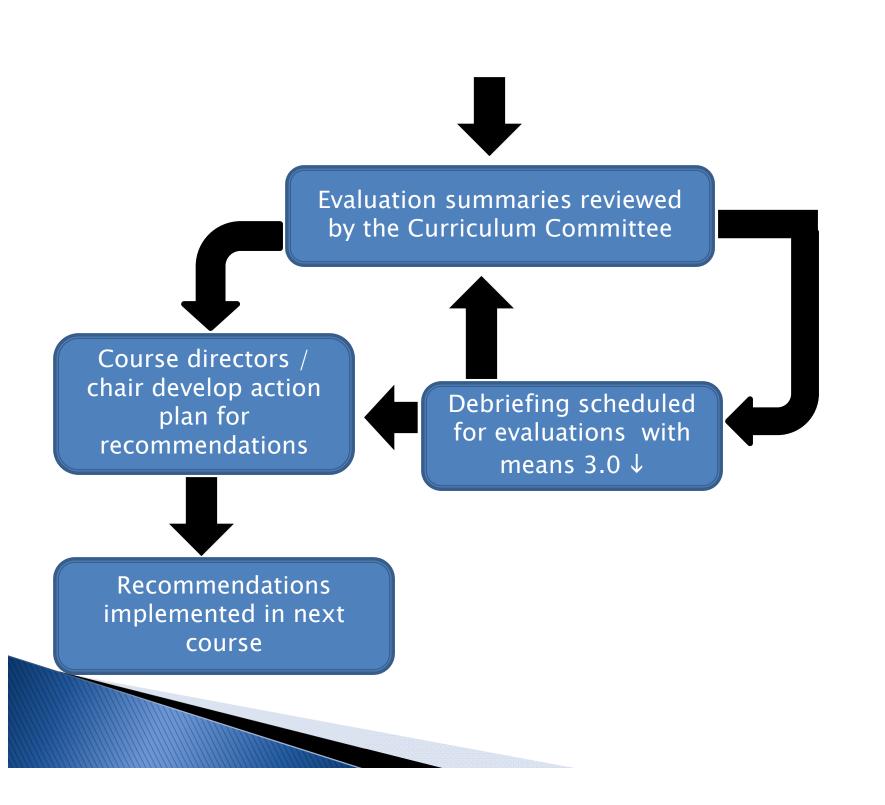


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Evaluation link posted at the end of course for submissions



Evaluations reviewed by the Office of Education, course directors and department chairs



Course Evaluations

- Course evaluations can be accessed through Evalsuite Toolkit
- Log in using your Gatorlink username and password
- https://dentistry.medinfo.ufl.edu/cgibin/evaltoolkit.cgi

Faculty Evaluations

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Evaluation posted during the semester



Feedback reviewed by faculty + department chair



Information must be included in all promotion and tenure packets



Faculty develop action plan as needed to maintain teaching excellence

Faculty Evaluations

- Faculty evaluations can be accessed at UF Faculty Evaluations
- Log in using your Gatorlink username and password
- https://evaluations.ufl.edu/evals/

When and How?

- Electronic course and faculty evaluation forms are updated each semester and posted on the College's website.
- All responses are confidential and the UF administration maintains state of the art electronic security measures to ensure this.